

SPORTING.

McGOVERN'S TWO MATCHES.

One is With Oscar Gardner and the Other With Bernstein.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—For defeating Dixon Terry McGovern yesterday received \$9,416. The boys sparred for 50 per cent of the gate receipts, of which the winner received 35 per cent and the loser 15 per cent. The total amount of money taken in at the gate was \$25,010. Dixon's share, therefore, was \$3,125. It was generally supposed that the boys fought for a purse of \$10,000, and the announcement that they had battled under a percentage basis came in the nature of a surprise.

McGovern celebrated his victory quietly at his home in Brooklyn. McGovern did not have a mark to show that he had been in a battle. When asked about his plans for the future he said he was prepared to fight man in the world.

"I have already arranged two matches," said McGovern, "one with Oscar Gardner, to take place on March 9, and the other with Joe Bernstein, on March 24. Both contests will take place at the Boardway Athletic Club. After these fights have been decided I may take a trip to England and fight 'Pedlar' Palmer again, and if I beat him I will take on Jordan or Curley."

Dixon spent the greater part of the day at the house of a friend. The defeated champion looked very much the worse for wear. He showed many marks of the effect of McGovern's blows. His nose was badly puffed and there were two big swellings under his left eye and one under his right eye. He said that he would never fight again. He said that he had never met a man who could hit as hard as McGovern.

"He is a marvelous fellow," said Dixon, "and if he takes care of his health should hold the championship for at least ten years. I wish him all the luck in the world."

Dixon is to have a big benefit in this city, and McGovern has volunteered his services for the occasion. Two thousand five hundred dollars has already been subscribed by the local sporting men for the benefit. Benefits will also be given the colored boy in Chicago, San Francisco and other large cities.

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BOWLING.

Wheeling League.

Teams	Won	Lost	Per.
All Alike	35	10	.778
K. K. K.	31	14	.689
Ocelots	24	18	.571
Englebrights	20	20	.500
Round Riders	22	22	.500
All Rooters	17	28	.378
Kissing Bugs	16	29	.354
Warders	13	35	.271
Kenmore	7	38	.156

Last night's games resulted in All Alikes winning three straight from Kenmore.

Score:

KENMORE.	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total
Believing	131	90	194	415
Hoffmeister	135	109	114	358
O'Kane	132	128	125	405
Bremer	137	123	103	363
Howard	165	149	119	433
Bohn	165	128	129	422

Totals.....867 767 732 2366

ALL ALIKES.	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total
Rahr	163	147	194	464
Arndt	168	182	152	502
Cochran	157	118	128	403
Balzer	132	152	138	422
Black	120	115	110	345
Noite	170	164	129	463

Totals.....946 938 905 2789

Umpire—Plankey.
Scorer—Remke and Nolte.
To-night—Ocelots vs. Wheeling.

Carroll Club League.

Games in the Carroll Club league last night resulted as follows:

ALL STARS.	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total
Hoffman	132	129	170	431
Rahr	135	109	114	358
Brady	137	123	103	363
Doolittle	142	137	129	408
Welzel	171	196	160	527
Blind	137	167	147	451

Totals.....944 846 927 2717

COLUMBIAS.	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total
Ray	105	111	132	348
Boh	115	112	128	355
Roth	120	127	112	359
Carney	123	102	141	366
J. J. Steel	98	124	130	352
Scalley	111	94	128	333
Handicap	84	84	84	252

Totals.....597 738 957 2292

TO-MORROW'S TRI-STATE SHOOT

At Wheeling Park Will Attract a Large Number of Visitors.

The tri-state shoot at Wheeling Park to-morrow, morning and afternoon, is an event that will attract a large number of visiting marksmen from western Pennsylvania, West Virginia and eastern Ohio. The local committee on arrangements has prepared an attractive programme. The shoot will open at 10 a. m., and close at 4 p. m. The main event of the day will be the 100 yards event for the little brown bear which Mr. J. F. Shirk recently won at a shoot in West Alexander. Other events at 100 yards are scheduled, with turkey as the prizes. The range is an excellent one, and the local shooters will provide elaborate entertainment for the visitors.

Two Checker Matches.

This evening, on the South Side, the Bellaire and South Side checker clubs play the second series of their match. In the first series the Bellaire boys won an overwhelming victory. To-night the Wheeling players will make a desperate effort to redeem themselves.

To-morrow evening, Georg Kaiser, of the "Big Four" champions, plays five numbers of the Young Men's Club, of Bellaire. Dr. A. C. Beetham, Frank Pine, E. E. Workman, Martin Cowan and E. E. Lewis.

AMUSEMENTS.

Much interest is attached to the forthcoming engagement of that accomplished actor, Mr. William Morris, at the Opera House, Saturday, matinee and night, January 13, when he will produce, for the first time here, a new play by Anthony Hope. The new work which, by the way, is the first original play this talented writer has given, is entitled "The Adventure of Lady Ursula," which is unquestionably Mr. Hope's most noted work, and is said to not only offer splendid opportunities for Mr. Morris and company, but it is also rich in chances for effective scenery and picturesque costuming. Its scenes are located in London in the early part of the last century. The plot centers about Sir George Sylvester, who has killed his best friend in a duel over a woman, and vows he will never fight another duel or look on the face of one of the sex again. He lives the life of a hermit in his home. The neighborhood is curious to know why he has shut himself up, and Lady Ursula, a spirited young woman, determines to fathom the mystery. Through these efforts a number of amusing complications occur that are disengaged in a very satisfactory and artistic way. Mr. Morris, who starred in "Under the Red Robe" and "The Lost Paradise," assumes the role of Sir George. The part of Lady Ursula will be played by Miss Frances Drake, who will appear as a boy in two scenes of the play.

"Rip Van Winkle."

The dramatized version of Washington Irving's immortal story of "Rip Van Winkle" was presented in excellent style to a large and well pleased audience at the Grand Opera House last night by the Van Dyke and Eaton Dramatic Company. There was an abundance of appropriate scenic effects and the production was first class in every respect, each member of the cast doing very capable work. "Rip Van Winkle" will be repeated as to-day's matinee bill, and to-night the company will present for the first time in this city, the sterling military drama, "Child of the Regiment," with new and pleasing specialties between acts.

"The Royal Box."

Charles Coghlan's successful play, "The Royal Box," will be given at the Opera House for two nights and one matinee, commencing Wednesday evening, January 17. The principal part is that of Clarence, the actor, the leading artist of England in the year 1810. The fourth act of the piece is divided into two scenes. The first pictures the dressing room of the actor, and the second the stage of the Drury Lane theatre, in London, with a drama in progress. In the stage scene the actor is presented playing Romeo in the balcony scene from "Romeo and Juliet." Wrought up to a state of mental hysteria through jealousy of the woman he loves, who sits in the royal box with the Prince of Wales, afterwards George IV, he publicly denounces the first gentleman in Europe from the stage of his profligacy. The transition from the lovelorn Romeo to the madly infuriated actor, denouncing royalty, is instantaneous. The scene is one of remarkable power. The incident is a very delicate one, and the slightest divergence from the careful and discriminating lines on which Mr. Coghlan has laid down the business of the scene would cause it to sink into the sublimity of true art to the place of a mediocre melodramatic situation. Miss Coghlan, the talented daughter of Charles Coghlan, plays the part of Celia Pryce, the leading female role, and shows she has all the talent of the family. She will be assisted by Andrew Robson, who has played Mr. Coghlan's part many times.

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Mother and Daughter Fatally Burned.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 11.—Mrs. Mary Theobald, fifty-eight years old, was burned to death and her daughter, Lucinda, aged twenty-eight, was fatally burned, at their home in this city, today. Miss Theobald was filling a lamp in front of a stove. An explosion followed, setting fire to her clothing. In attempting to save her daughter, Mrs. Theobald's clothing took fire and before assistance arrived she was burned to death.

Mrs. Theobald is the widow of the late Edward Theobald, for many years cashier of the Farmers' Bank of Kentucky, at Frankfort.

Shipwrecks on Japanese Coast.

VICTORIA, B. C., Jan. 11.—Advises by the steamship Empress, of Japan, tell of a fierce storm sweeping the Japanese coast on December 24, by which thirty-five junks were lost while being towed from Osaka to Kobe, and 171 persons perished. A tidal wave accompanied the storm, by which 411 lives were lost.

Hotel Combine in Columbus.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 11.—The Columbus Hotel Company was incorporated today with a capital stock of \$300,000. The company will operate the three leading hotels of the city, the Chittenden, Nell and Great Southern. W. S. Sallor will be the general manager of the new operating company.

National Building Trades Council.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 11.—At today's session of the National Building Trades Council the report of the committee on constitution, which provides for changes lessening the power of the national officers in control of the international affairs of the organization,

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caused a hot discussion. A motion to adopt the report was lost by a vote of 85 to 73. Several resolutions by the committee on officers' reports were approved, among them one for the placing of a general organizer in the field, that the per capita tax be continued, the procuring of a uniform working card of every union affiliated with the national building trades council, a conference board between contractors and building trades councils to prevent lockouts.

The recommendation for the establishment of a union label to be placed on all houses erected by union labor was not approved.

ELECTRIC CAR.

Ran Away—One Killed, Two Seriously Injured and a Dozen Slightly Hurt.

SCRANTON, Pa., Jan. 11.—An electric street car ran away on Pine street hill this afternoon, jumping the track at a curve and plunging into the curb. Robert Croop, one of the passengers, was fatally hurt. Mrs. O. J. Miller and Mrs. George Chubb were seriously injured and a dozen others suffered slightly. The car was wrecked. The passengers jumped when they saw the car was getting away from the motorman.

The accident was due to sleet on the rails.

MOUNDSVILLE BUDGET.

Yesterday's News From Marshall County's Chief City.

Edward H. Frye, the celebrated monologist, will impersonate Rip Van Winkle at the school hall to-night. This will be the fourth attraction of the Epworth League lecture and entertainment course, and promises to be one of the most interesting of them all. It is said of him that he never fails to make his audience both laugh and cry. You don't want to miss it.

A chess club has been partly organized here by electing C. R. Oldham president. A meeting will be held at the residence of Mr. Oldham to-morrow night, when the organization will be completed and the first game by the club started.

Electric car No. 5 ran into the United States express wagon yesterday, at the corner of Jefferson avenue and Fifth street, damaging the wagon considerably, and scattering the oysters, with which it was filled, over the street.

Mrs. S. W. Mathews has returned to the city from a visit with friends at Central City, to stay a few days before going to Washington, D. C., where she will spend the winter with her husband, who is postmaster of the senate.

The protracted services at the M. E. church are attended by large crowds, and the meetings are growing in interest. Rev. Hanna, of Charleston, has been assisting Rev. W. B. King, the pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Russell Oldham have issued invitations for an "at home" on the evening of January 20, from 6 to 9. Bishop W. L. Gravatt will be the guest of honor.

Miss Anna Sunderland, who has been undergoing treatment at McMaster's hospital, at Wheeling, is reported much improved and recovering nicely under the treatment.

Captain Fred Kimpfe, of the steamer Ben Hur, left last evening for Parkersburg, where his boat is tied up.

Miss Mary Parkinson is very ill at the home of Colonel and Mrs. F. W. H. Baldwin, in the orchard.

Mrs. John Cook was called to Wheeling yesterday on account of the serious illness of her mother.

J. F. Burley, Jr., is confined to his home on Grant avenue, with typhoid fever.

R. S. Lome was in Wheeling yesterday.

BRIDGEPORT HAPPENINGS.

Events of a Day in the Town at the End of the Bridge.

The First National Bank yesterday awarded the contract to the American Safe and Lock Company, of Elizabeth, Pa., for the steel boxes and the grill work which it will place in its vault for its customers. The metallic work contract was let to the Art Metallic Construction Company, of Jamestown, N. Y. The contracts specify that the work is to be completed by February 20.

Miss Mabel Barrett very pleasantly entertained a number of her friends last evening, at her home, on Lincoln avenue. About twenty guests were present, and a thoroughly enjoyable evening was spent by all. Dancing and cards were the principal diversions. Elegant refreshments were served.

The masquerade dance given at the opera house last evening was largely attended, and was a thoroughly enjoyable affair.

The stockholders of the Dollar Savings Bank met yesterday afternoon, and re-elected the old board of directors.

Miss Maggie Taggart returned to Smithfield yesterday, after a few days' visit with relatives in this city.

Mrs. Wilbur Dening, of St. Clairsville, was calling on friends in this city yesterday.

The Knights of Pythias installed the officers recently elected last evening. Harry Cromwell, of Woodsfield, is the guest of relatives in Kirkwood.

John Fawcett is the guest of his mother, at St. Clairsville.

W. V. Campbell has returned from Cleveland.

The President a Slave to Catarrh.—D. T. Sample, President of Sample's Instinctal Company, Washington, Pa., writes: "For years I was afflicted with Chronic Catarrh. Remedies and treatment by specialists only gave me temporary relief, until I was induced to use Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder. It gave me almost instant relief, and has proved the one good thing in my case." Sold by Charles R. Goetze, Twelfth and Market streets.—7

BELLAIKE HAPPENINGS.

Matters of Interest in the Metropolis of Belmont County.

The burglars are growing very bold in this city. Mayor Freeze was awakened at an early hour yesterday morning by one trying to get into his house. The bold, bad man, made so much noise about it that his wife looked out of the upstairs window and although she did not see the burglar, it was found yesterday at daylight that he had been there and had broken some of the slats in a shutter. Then after daylight a boxful of was discovered in the house of W. H. Weeks. In the same part of town, and even after Mr. Weeks and his wife saw the fellow and forbade his coming down stairs he came right down and ran away, losing his hat in the flight.

The use of the name of H. W. Bahra as a candidate for city marshal seems to have been unauthorized, and was probably done with a view of stirring up some sort of division among the friends of the present force, and for the good of the Democratic candidates who may be persuaded to take a hand this spring. But the campaign seems to stubbornly refuse to open yet. It will be by and by, however.

The foundation of the suit against the Bellaire Stove Company for \$10,000 damages, is the fact that a certain stove polish used by Emma Small exploded, and she was badly burned and died from the effects, so the petition alleges. It is charged that benzine or gasoline was used, and that the polish came from the stove company, hence the suit.

Hiram Mantle came home from Columbus yesterday, and will give his attention to his farm for a time now, though he was a soldier in the Civil war with General Gyger, now adjutant general of the state, and made a very high removal of his acquaintance with his old comrade.

There seems to be several candidates from Belmont county under the state administration who put their rods up with only a hope that the lightning may strike them. They are all deservingly, but realize that all who ask cannot be provided for.

State Senator Archer has committees enough on his hands to keep him busy if the legislature is going to do any business. Nine for a new member is a record breaker.

Nellie Brewer, who is, or thought she was, the second wife of Tigglebeck, was formerly a resident of this city, but later moved to Bridgeport.

The wreck on the Wheeling & Lake Erie railroad yesterday delayed all Cleveland & Pittsburgh trains for an hour or two.

Mrs. John A. Gallaher is at Marietta, on account of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. George M. Woodbridge.

The oil well on the Milligan farm, about five miles west of here, is flowing twelve to fifteen barrels a day.

There will be a meeting of Bellaire Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, this evening, for work.

Common pleas court and the grand jury meet at St. Clairsville next Tuesday.

The ice moved out without any damage to anything in this vicinity.

BENWOOD.

News Notes From the Busy Marshall County Town.

The following are the newly elected officers of Baird corps, of the Woman's Relief Corps, who were installed Wednesday night by Mrs. Margaret Whitman; President, Emma Quigley; senior vice president, Anna Paterson; chaplain, Nancy Strahm; conductor, Kate Thomas; assistant conductor, Annie Ester; inner guard, Annie Taylor; secretary, Lydia A. Smith; delegates: Mrs. Mary Flyenwood, first; Charlotte Welch, second; Mrs. Annie Bond, third; Lucy Machin, Nancy Strahm, Mary Humes, alternates; color bearers, Maggie Welch, Nellie Farmer, Eva Palmer and Annie Van Camp.

In political circles yesterday it was whispered about that Charley Seand, the main street butcher, would make the race for the legislature. Mr. Seand, who was amused by the rumor, ascribed it to a Moundsville source. He was in Moundsville on Wednesday and the streets were so full of candidates for various offices, that to be in the swim, Charley declared himself for the legislature. It was a joke and nothing more.

Mayor Shepard was served with a notice yesterday restraining him from selling B. F. Meighen's property, on Main street, for delinquent corporation tax. Mr. Meighen is the Moundsville lawyer. The case promises some interesting controversy.

To-morrow night will be decided the postponed contests of St. John's church bazaar, and it is thought the balances will show a profit of \$2,000 on the entire affair. The ladies will serve an oyster supper and an interesting evening is expected.

Benwood lodge, A. O. U. W., installed its officers at Herrick's hall last night, after which the members enjoyed a fine spread on the banquet board.

The teachers of Union district will meet here to-morrow afternoon and evening, in the first monthly session of the new year.

Work has been resumed on the completion of the Riverside brick arch at Boggs' run.

MARTIN'S FERRY NEWS.

The Daily Chronicle of Wheeling's Progressive Neighbor.

A six day convention, conducted by S. D. Gordon, chairman of the Ohio Evangelization Movement, will be held at the Presbyterian church, commencing Sunday. Services will be held Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Evangelist Gordon will also address the young people's meeting Sunday, at 6 p. m. The remaining five days' services will be held each afternoon at 3 o'clock and evening at 7:30 o'clock.

The Vigilant Hose Company will endeavor to meet this evening for the election of officers. They have tried to get together twice before, but were not successful.

Invitations were issued yesterday for a private dance, to be given at Scheeche's hall, next Wednesday evening, by a number of young ladies.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Carter are the parents of a new boy, who arrived at their home, on Second street, yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cleis, of Morgantown, are the guests of the latter's parents, on North Third street.

Mrs. Fred Dixon will entertain her Thimble Bee this afternoon at her home, on North Fourth street.

The personal property of Thomas Gow will be sold at public auction Tuesday, January 23.

George Noble returned yesterday from a few days' visit at Clayville, Pa. W. B. Francis was in Steubenville yesterday on business.

E. J. A. Drennen was in Steubenville yesterday on business.

Editor's Awful Plight.

F. M. Higgins, Editor Seneca, (Ill.) News, was afflicted for years with Piles that no doctor or remedy helped until he tried Buehler's America Salve. He writes two boxes wholly cured him. It's the surest Pile cure on earth and the best salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25 cents. Sold by Logan Drug Co., druggists.—5.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

TO THE VOTERS.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for County Assessor in the Country District, subject to the party primary election.

I respectfully solicit your support.

mw4t-ja1 ROBERT ANDERSON.

NOTICE.

I desire to announce to the Republicans of Ohio County, that I am a candidate for County Assessor, Country District of Ohio County, at the primary election.

Your support is respectfully solicited.

ja1 LESTER SMITH.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETINGS.

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The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Provident Life Insurance Company will be held on Friday, January 13, 1900, at the office of the company, No. 165 Market street, Wheeling, W. Va., at 8 p. m., for the election of directors and the annual business that may come before the stockholders.

ja1-12-19 THOS. G. JENKINS, Secretary.

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The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Bellaire and Benwood Bridge Company, for the election of directors and the annual business that may come before them, will be held at the South Side Bank, Wheeling, W. Va., Tuesday, February 11, 1900, at 2 o'clock, p. m.

ja23 GEO. W. VOST, Secretary.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Intelligencer Publishing Company will be held at the office of the company, No. 27 Fourteenth street, Tuesday, January 23, 1900, between the hours of 2 and 4 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors and the transaction of any other business that may come before them.</